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In re Application of:

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### **INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Assistant Comm'r for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In compliance with Applicant's duty of candor and good faith, under 37 CFR §1.56, the Examiner is requested to consider the following references and related information, submitted in accordance with 37 CFR §1.97, and thereafter make this entire disclosure "of record" in the file wrapper of the abovecaptioned application. A Form PTO-1449 is submitted herewith for the Examiner's convenience.

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### DISCLOSURE OF REFERENCES AND RELATED INFORMATION

Although disclosed, nothing herein is intended as an admission of the character of any reference, or related information, as "prior art" to the invention of the above-captioned application or as being material to the examination of the same. Disclosure at this time is only intended to establish an incontrovertible showing of Applicant's full candor and good faith; under no circumstance should disclosure herein imply "materiality to patentability" as defined in 37 CFR §1.56(b).

In compliance with Applicant's duty, those references listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 are now disclosed.

All of the references and related information herein above disclosed are believed to be related at least to the broad field of art to which the invention of the present application pertains, although some references may be more pertinent than others. Although disclosed, nothing herein is intended as an admission of the character of any reference as prior art or as being analogous or pertinent to the invention of the above-captioned application; rather, disclosure is now made based upon the relevance apparent with the benefit of the hindsight provided by Applicant's own specification. In any case, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner make careful consideration of all that is disclosed for whatever relevance may actually exist.

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Respectfully submitted,

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